

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: George H. Small

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Examiner: Pedro Philogene

For: UMBILICAL CORD CLAMP AND  
METHODS OF USING SAME

Attorney Docket No.: 104410-100

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:


Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated August 11, 2004 of the Primary Examiner allowing claims 1-11 and finally rejecting claims 17-30 of the above-identified application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ An extension of time for responding to the final rejection for three months is submitted herewith.
2. ☒ A timely response to the final rejection is filed herewith.
3. ☒ A fee in the amount of \$250.00 (small entity) is required.
4. ☒ Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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